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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

v.

**IONIA MANAGEMENT S.A., and
EDGARDO MERCURIO,
Defendants**

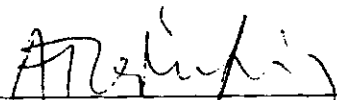
Case No.: 3:07-cr- 134 (JBA)

APPEARANCE AT ARRAIGNMENT


IONIA MANAGEMENT S.A., (hereinafter “IONIA”), along with its undersigned counsel acknowledge the following, and petition the Court to accept this waiver of personal appearance at arraignment pursuant to Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure Rule 10(b):

- 1) IONIA affirms that it has received a copy of the Indictment in this case;
- 2) IONIA understands that it has the right to have a corporate representative appear personally before the Court for an arraignment on the charges set forth in the Indictment, and voluntarily waives this right; and,
- 3) IONIA pleads NOT GUILTY to each and every count in the Indictment.


IONIA has conferred with undersigned counsel and fully understands all of the above,
and it respectfully submits this petition to enter pleas of NOT GUILTY in its absence.


Mrs. Ekaterini Therapiotis
Director
IONIA MANAGEMENT S.A.
Defendant

15.6.07
Date


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IT IS ORDERED that defendant's waiver is hereby accepted, and its pleas of not guilty
are entered on the record with the Clerk of the Court.

DATED this 18th day of June, 2007.

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Hon. W. Gortmaker
W.S.M.